

NEW ADDITIONS OR OTHERWISE NOTEWORTHY PLANTS OF TEXAS—In Texas, a state with such a wide variety of rainfall, soils and elevation, it is not surprising to find recent plant immigrants naturalizing. The following are new denizens in the Texas flora with the exception of *Euphoria hirta*.

CHORISPORA TENELLA (Pallas) DC. (CRUCIFERAE). Dallam Co.: sandy loam soil near Kerrick, ca 1 mi S of TX-OK line on US 287, 4 May 1980, *L. K. Magrath et al.* 10344 (OCLA, UTEP). Dallas Co.: hwy I-35E and Royal Lane, 15 Apr 1978, *Mitchell* 46 (SMU); near railroad tracks 1 mi E of Royal Lane & I-35E, 9 May 1978, *Doty* 79 (SMU). Deaf Smith Co.: sandy loam roadsides of FM 1259, 15 mi ESE of Hereford, 24 Mar 1967, *Waller* 1272 (SMU). El Paso Co.: sandy roadside, S side of Anthony along US 80-85, 18 Mar 1981, *Worthington* 6906 (SMU, UTEP). A native of Asia, *Chorispora tenella* is now naturalized over much of the United States. Shetler and Skog (1978) do not report it from the Southeast (2) and South Plains (6) regions. Waterfall (1952, 1960) reported it for Oklahoma. It is apparently rare in the southeastern United States: OKLAHOMA. Oklahoma Co.: weed in sandy clay soil along railroad side, 3200 blk of NW 19th street, Oklahoma City, 20 Apr 1940, *Waterfall* 1898 (SMU). LOUISIANA. Caddo Parish: along railroad tracks near center of Kansas City Southern Railroad yard W of LA 173 SE of Blanchard, sec 19, T18N, R14W, 29 May 1979, *Thomas* 65096 (SMU).

COREOPSIS PUBESCENS Elliott var. **PUBESCENS**. (COMPOSITAE). Jasper Co.: edge of logging road ca 7 mi S of Kirbyville, 0.8 mi E of hwy 96 and ca 0.3 mi E of railroad, 15 May 1978, *Ajilvsgi* 7339 (SMU); same locality, 19 Jun 1978, *Ajilvsgi* 5701 (SMU). Although new for Texas, *C. pubescens* was to be expected in the state. Smith (1976) maps collections of *pubescens* in two counties bordering and several others closely bordering Texas in Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma. Identification of specimen was verified by E. B. Smith (UARK).

CORONILLA VARIA L. (LEGUMINOSAE). Montague Co.: sandy roadside ca 1 mi SE of jct of hwy 82 & 287 on 287 S of Bowie, 7 Aug 1983, *Mahler* 9677 (SMU). This species appears to have been introduced as a ground cover for control of soil erosion along new highway construction; it has persisted for three to four years and appears to be well established.

DIANTHUS ARMERIA L. (CARYOPHYLLACEAE). Titus Co.: ca 5 mi E of Talco along hwy 71, 10 May 1977, *Ajilvsgi* 6938 (SMU); just E of overpass S of Winfield along access road to I-30, 15 May 1977, *Ajilvsgi* 6937 (SMU); near I-30 and Loop 360, near public boat ramp sign on W side of Mt. Pleasant, 20 May 1979, *Ajilvsgi* 7286 (SMU). *Dianthus armeria* is a native of Europe.

EUPHORBIA HIRTA L. (EUPHORBIACEAE). Dallas Co.: flower beds

of First City Bank at Josey Lane & Valley View Lane, Farmers Branch [Dallas], 6 Jun 1980, *Lipscomb* 3113 (SMU). The plant was also observed the following year. Correll & Johnston (1970) noted *E. hirta* as a rare waif in coastal south Texas and not persistent.

FATOUA VILLOSA (Thunb.) Nakai (MORACEAE). Bexar Co.: scattered on grounds of San Antonio Botanical Center, 10 Sep 1982, *Lipscomb* 3414 (SMU). Dallas Co.: flower bed of First City Auto Bank, Valley View Lane & Josey Lane, Farmers Branch [Dallas], 31 Jul 1980, *Lipscomb* 3117 (SMU). *Fatoua villosa* is an eastern Asiatic species that was first reported for North America in Louisiana by Thieret (1964). Since then DuQuesnay (1974) and Massey (1975) have reported collections from Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Mississippi, and North Carolina.

HYPERICUM PERFORATUM L. (GUTTIFERAE). Montague Co.: sandy roadside soil ca 1 mi SE of jct of hwy 82 & 287 on 287 S of Bowie, 7 Aug 1983, *Mahler* 9678 (MO, SMU, VDB). Wise Co.: roadside 2.7 mi E of Montague-Wise county line on 287, 16 Jun 1981, *Lipscomb* 3380 (DUR, SMU); 0.5 mi E of Wise-Montague county line on hwy 287, 3 Jul 1983, *Lipscomb* 3419 (SMU). The species is well established along the roadside and has been observed here the last three years. *Hypericum perforatum* is another introduced native of Europe.—*Barney Lipscomb, Herbarium, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX 75275, U.S.A.*

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